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APPLICATIONS THEREOF IN THERAPEUTICS

March 27, 2009

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REQUEST

The Examiner is requested to return a completely-initialed copy of the PTO-1449

Form bearing the OIPE date-stamped of March 24, 2006. Specifically, the PTO-1449

Form returned with the Office Action of March 18, 2009, does not include the

Examiner's initials next to references WO 00/49038, WO 01/92542 and WO

2004/031768. The entirety of the PTO-1449 Form has been signed by the Examiner on

March 16, 2009, and the other references indicated as having been specifically

considered by initialing next to each of the references. The above-noted foreign patent

documents however do not include in the left-hand column the Examiner's initials. A

completely-initialed copy of the PTO-1449 Form, pursuant to MPEP § 609, is requested.

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The Examiner is requested to confirm receipt of the priority document as indicated in the Notice of Acceptance dated April 10, 2008.

The Examiner is also requested to confirm in a further communication that the figures filed March 24, 2006, are acceptable or advise the undersigned of any specific objection or rejection of the same.

The present Request is not being filed in response to the Office Action of March 18, 2009.

Respectfully submitted,

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